It's Hurricane Season. Are you Prepared?



Hurricanes can cause sever damage to your property and can even be life threatening. The good news is there are steps you can take to prepare and protect you and your family from a hurricane's potential dangers.



Make a Plan

Before a disaster strikes, make sure you and your family have a plan in place. Visit <u>ready.gov/plan</u> for guidance on effective emergency planning.



Know Your Hurricane Evacuation Zone

Visit <u>bit.ly/KnowYourZoneVA</u> to determine if you live in a hurricane evacuation area and identify your evacuation route.



Stay Alert

Have multiple ways to stay up to date and receive alerts about potential storms. Visit bit.ly/AlertVA to download the FEMA app to receive real-time alerts from the National Weather Service.



Prepare an Emergency Kit

Be sure you and your family have the supplies you need before disaster strikes. Check out bit.ly/EmergencyKitVA for an emergency supply kit checklist.



Strengthen Your Home

Board up windows, secure and reinforce the roof, doors and garage door, store outdoor objects and furniture and trim and remove damaged trees near your home.



Review Your Insurance

Not all insurance is the same. Contact your home insurance company to make sure you have adequate coverage for hurricane related risks including flooding.

Visit bit.ly/HurricanePreparednessGuideVA for additional information and resources about hurricane preparedness





